GOD'S BLUEPRINT FOR THE CHURCH Actively Waiting Titus 2:11-15

Jack Napier 12/03/2023

**What's True** in the Bible?

What do we do while we wait for Jesus to return?

**1. We \_\_\_\_\_ God's \_\_\_\_.**Titus 2:11a, 14a / Romans 2:4 / 2 Corinthians 12:9

2. We \_\_\_\_\_ God's Titus 2:11b, 14b, 15 / Matthew 28:18–20

3. We \_\_\_\_\_ godly \_

Titus 2:12–14c / 1 Corinthians 10:13

#### What's Real in my life?

- How has "godlessness" played a role in my life?
- What is one "worldly lust" that is difficult for me to deny?
- How is the "present age" affecting me and the loved ones around me?
- How eager am I to do the "good works" Paul refers to?

# Grace Community December 3, 2023



Love God, Love people, and Lead others to do the same.



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What's Next?

### Welcome to Grace

**Hello!** We are so glad you're joining us this morning! We have a strong desire to know and experience God's love. It is His love for us which, in turn, inspires us to love God, love people, and lead others to do the same.

If you're a guest with us, we would love to hear from you! Go to *gccnewton.com* and click the blue button that says *Connect With Us* and tell us how we can serve you or pray for you. We would love to have you join us every Sunday at 9:00am or 10:45am!

If you have any questions or want more information about who we are and what we do, please take some time to browse our website at *gccnewton.com* or visit the connection desk in the foyer.

### Connect With Us



**Listening to worship music** rich in biblical theology is a great way to stay grounded in truth while connecting with God's heart. We have compiled a playlist of the carefullychosen songs we sing on Sundays to help you worship from home.

**Next step:** Go to *gccnewton.com/worship* where you can find links to our Sunday Morning Worship playlist on Spotify and YouTube.



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## Next Steps with Grace



**Are you looking to get plugged in** and use the gifts God has given you to serve? At Grace we believe we are called to be the church. We have several ministries that serve not only on Sunday mornings and in our church walls, but also to the community and nations around us.

**Next Step:** Visit online at *gccnewton.com/serve* for more information.

### Giving to the Lord

We believe that regular giving to the local church is an essential act of worship in response to God's generosity and provision for us. You can give at *gccnewton.com/give*, in the Church Center app, or at one of the baskets by the exits of the Worship Center.

Fiscal Year as of October 31

**Attendance from November 26** 

Income: \$968,416 Expense: \$823,543 Budget: \$939,388

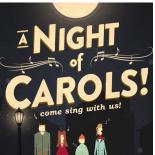
### Growing with Grace



#### July 15 - 19, 2024 | Fort Worth, TX

Mission Camp 2024, it's about to go DOWN! 6-12th graders pack your bags because we're spending July 15th through 19th on mission, having fun, meeting new people, and growing closer to our savior!

**Next Step:** Learn more and register online at *gccnewton.com/transform*!



#### December 17 | 4pm | Activity Center

This is our 10th annual Christmas Caroling event! Join us in the fun and serving! We'll share the truth of Christ's birth through song and scripture with people in Newton and surrounding communities. We'll finish the night with a soup supper back at the church facility.

**Next Step:** Sign up at *gccnewton.com/upcoming-events*!



#### **December 10 | Both Services | Worship Center**

Next week, GraceKids will be performing, "What the Angels Heard on High" - a Christmas program. Come hear the Christmas story told from the perspective of the angels. Join us for drama, scripture, song, and laughter.

**Next Step:** Be sure to invite your friends and family, then sit back and enjoy the show!



#### **Lost and Found**

It's time to clean up our lost and found. If you've lost an item at church please check in the coat closet behind the connection desk in the foyer. We will be donating or trashing items not claimed. Thank you.

### For More Information

There are many opportunities for you to get connected and involved with us! For more details, take some time to browse *gccnewton.com*. We especially recommend checking out the *Upcoming Events* page!

